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Administration's Mexican Policy Explained to Powers,

ONLY SOLIDITY

Big Battle Imminent at Tuxpan,
Gulf Port, Navy Depart-

Premier Asquith's speech on the Mexican situation has led the administration to hope for a declaration in regard to this emergency.

President Wilson is not putting himself in the attitude of seeking the cooperation of other governments.

operation of the European powers, but he feels that if they voluntarily come forward in support of the program of the United States for dealing with Hungary and Mexico, a long step will have been taken toward a clearing of the situation.

There is good reason to believe that Ambassador Page already has laid the views and plans of the United States before the British Foreign Office in detail, and that similar steps have been taken with regard to the other Euro-

If the foreign governments lend the support to the United States in such a way that Huerta is convinced of their sincerity the Washington administration believes that his retirement will be only a question of a very brief time, owing to his failure to obtain further financial backing.

development to the Washington officials. It was apparent that no definite conclusions could be drawn from it as to the details of Great Britain's attitude toward this government's policy. Premier Asquith apparently refrained purposely from giving any definite pledges as to details. There was, for instance, no statement that the British government

will publicly indorse the stand taken by the United States in insisting that Huerta must go, and in refusing to recognize his acts or the acts of the Congress about to convene.

Reminder for Protection.

On the other hand, the Amqui speech contains a distinct reminder that the

The Navy Department was informed yesterday by Admiral Fletcher that a big battle was imminent at Turpan, a Gulf port of Mexico to the north of Vera Cruz. The commanding officer of the westmost U.S. collection ship, the

Of the number of Americans within the town—twenty had already escaped to the Wheeling—but six still remained. For them the commander expected to send a launch ashore early today, after

In anticipation of necessity arising for a stronger American force, the battleship Louisiana had been ordered from Vera Cruz, and her arrival was expected late yesterday.

POLICY OF PRESIDENT DEFENDED BY MEXICAN

Special Cable to The Washington Herald.

London, Nov. 11.—Miguel Covarrubias, who was recently mentioned by President Wilson as a suitable candidate for the Mexican Presidency, in an

Interview with the Daily News today, said:

"Premier Asquith's speech will do much to clear the air in Mexico. President Huerta has been supported by the belief that Great Britain was in a sense his ally, even against the United States. When the United States presented the so-called ultimatum, Huerta

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**FOUR KILLED IN PISTOL
BATTLE OVER LOST HOG**

**Southern Farmers Engage in Fatal
Dispute About Alleged Theft
of Parker.**

Savannah, Ga., Nov. 11.—Word was received here today of the death of four

The victims were Harvey Smith, Quinn Smith, Troy King, and R. E. Holliday. Theft of one of Holliday's bags, it is said, led up to a quarrel, which resulted in the tragedy.

Wealthy Woman Drowned.

Walkill, N. Y., Nov. 11.—The body of Miss Amanda Williams, a wealthy woman, of Newburg, and cousin of former Supervisor W. G. Decker, of the Prudential Life Insurance Company, was found floating in the Walkill River today. It is believed her death was accidental.

Senate.
Not in session: meets tomorrow.
Senator Kern, chairman of the Democratic caucus, called a caucus conference for today.

Representative Evans of Montana attempted to obtain consideration of resolution calling on President to intervene to prevent use of whipping post as legal punishment in Delaware. No action was taken.

Representative Austin of Texas introduced resolution requesting executive departments to furnish information as to

Representative Lobeck introduced bill imposing special safety restrictions upon operation of elevators in District. Adjourned until noon today.